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SUBJECT: FIRE DESTROYS JOHNS MANVILLE PLANT IN NORTH-EASTERN
FRANCE

DEPT PLEASE PASS COMMERCE

THE MAIN PRODUCTION UNIT OF AMERICAN SUBSIDIARY JOHNS
MANVILLE IN WISSEMBOURG DESTROYED BY FIRE WHICH BROKE OUT
AT 1 AM MARCH 4. PLANT SPECIALIZED IN BUILDING BOARDS,
INSULATION, AND FILTERS. ACCORDING TO PRESS, DAMAGES
AMOUNT TO 41,000,000 FRANCS OR OVER NINE MILLION DOLLARS.

NO ONE INJURED BUT DISASTER UNEMPLOYS 130 WHO APPARENTLY
AND FORTUNAZELY COVERED BY SOCIAL INSURANCE. CAUSE OF FIRE
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